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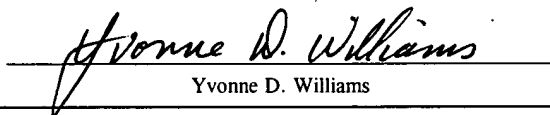
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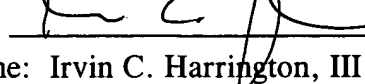
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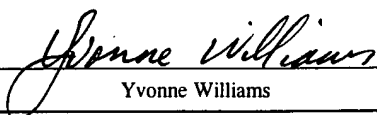
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Dear Sir:

With regard to the above-identified application, the items of information listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449 are brought to the attention of the Examiner.

This statement should be considered because it is submitted before the mailing date of a first Office Action on-the-merits. Accordingly, no fee is due for consideration of the items listed on the enclosed Form 1449.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(2), a copy of each document or other information listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449 is provided.

No representation is made that a reference is "prior art" within the meaning of 35 U.S.C. §§ 102 and 103 and Applicant reserves the right, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.131 or otherwise, to establish that the reference(s) are not "prior art." Moreover, Applicant does not

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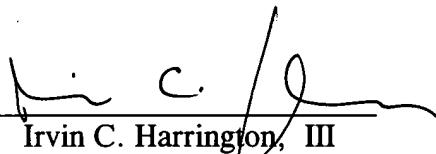
represent that a reference has been thoroughly reviewed or that any relevance of any portion of a reference is intended.

Consideration of the items listed is respectfully requested. Pursuant to the provisions of M.P.E.P. 609, it is requested that the Examiner return a copy of the attached Form 1449, marked as being considered and initialed by the Examiner, to the undersigned with the next official communication.

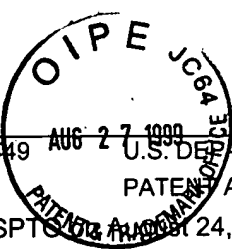
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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL	REF	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUB- CLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	A1	6,247,129	6/12/01	Keathley et al.			
	A2	6,246,996	6/12/01	Stein et al.			
	A3	6,233,682	5/15/01	Fritsch			
	A4	6,111,956	8/29/00	Field et al.			
	A5	5,995,626	11/30/99	Nishioka et al.			
	A6	5,987,140	11/16/99	Rowney et al.			
	A7	5,983,273	11/9/99	White et al.			
	A8	5,889,860	3/30/99	Eller et al.			
	A9	5,809,144	9/15/98	Sirbu et al.			
	A10	5,754,656	5/19/98	Nishioka et al.			
	A11	5,590,197	12/31/96	Chen et al.			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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OTHER DOCUMENT(S) (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

		Installation and User's Guide/iSD100-SSL 2.0beta/AlteonWebSystems/Pages 1-218/San Jose, CA/March 2001

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